

HUERTA IS READY  
FOR MEDIATIONDictator Indicates  
His Acceptance.

## FIRST STEP COMPLETE

Argentina, Brazil and Chile Will  
Try and Arrange an  
Adjustment.

Washington, April 28.—Formal acceptance by the Huerta government of the offer of Argentina, Brazil and Chile to use their good offices to bring about an amicable settlement of the difficulty between the United States and Mexico was cabled to Spanish Ambassador Riano here by Portilla y Rojas, foreign minister in the Huerta cabinet.

Secretary Bryan, on the part of the United States, having accepted the offer of good offices when tendered Saturday, the first step now is completed and the way paved for actual negotiations looking to a peaceful clearing up of the situation.

Neither Ambassador Riano nor the peace envoys would make public the text of the Huerta acceptance. It was said, however, that Senor Rojas replied briefly, accepting the offer and thanking the South American plenipotentiaries and the Spanish ambassador for their good offices, with a reference to "the real spirit of solidarity between peoples of a same race."

## Contains No Conditions.

No conditions are imposed in an offer of good offices, consequently the reply from Mexico City was not expected to deal with conditions. That stage will be reached when the peace-makers formulate their plans and make known how they propose to use the good offices which have been accepted.

It was suggested that they probably will ask the Washington and Mexico City governments for statements as to what each would demand in the event formal mediation were undertaken, and that on the nature of the responses to this request will depend the proposals next to be submitted.

Unofficial advices from Mexico City already had made it virtually certain that General Huerta will accept the offer of the peace envoys, but the formal announcement tended to relieve further the slackening tension of the crisis. The news was given to President Wilson, who expressed himself as greatly pleased, though he would make no further comment.

## Will Avoid Embarrassment.

White House officials let it be known that they are earnestly desirous of aiding the South American diplomats in every way possible and that no announcements as to points that will be insisted upon by the United States will be made or anything else done at this time which might embarrass their efforts.

Throughout official and diplomatic circles the belief was expressed that the success of the peace-makers so far necessarily will have a favorable effect upon the situation; that even though their efforts ultimately fail indirect diplomatic communication between the United States and the Huerta government has been restored temporarily and the chance of a better understanding infinitely improved.

The receipt of Huerta's reply followed close upon the disclosure in Washington of the fact that England, France and Germany have been exerting great pressure upon him to consent to a peaceful settlement of the present difficulties. The most interesting feature of this disclosure, however, was the fact that the European powers had been urged by Secretary Bryan to use their good offices in support of the efforts of the South American countries.

## Suspicions of Carranza.

While Huerta's reply has tended to strengthen the hope of this government in the mediation plan officials here are still in the dark as to what would be the attitude of Carranza. The note of the three South American diplomats was dispatched to Carranza from Washington, but no reply has been received. Uneasiness was created by the statements attributed to Carranza's representatives in Washington, that he never will assent to enter into a mediation program for the settlement of Mexico's internal differences.

There were indications here that the United States will not dally with Carranza on this subject. It would not surprise many here if a refusal by Carranza would be met by this government with overtures to Villa.

Villa has been outspoken in his efforts to please the administration and to placate the feeling that has been aroused in Northern Mexico as a result of the seizure of Vera Cruz. Carranza, on the other hand, has been sulky and verging on a spirit of defiance.

## J. D. ROCKEFELLER, JR.

Declines to Arbitrate  
Colorado Labor Dispute.



## NOT WILLING TO ARBITRATE

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., States His Position.

New York, April 28.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., told Congressman Martin D. Foster, chairman of the house committee on mines and mining, that he (Mr. Rockefeller) was in no position to arbitrate the labor troubles in the Colorado coal fields.

LOSE ONE HUNDRED  
MEN AT MONTEREYAmerican Brings Report of In-  
surgent Casualties.

Brownsville, Tex., April 28.—One hundred Constitutionals were killed and 200 wounded in the recent attack on Monterey, according to an American photographer who arrived here aboard the first train operated between Monterey and the border in a year. Federal casualties are stated to have been 300.

These estimates were made by General Pablo Gonzales, rebel commander at Monterey, according to the refugees. Report also was brought to Brownsville that an English flag had been hoisted over the United States consulate. In explanation, it is said General Gonzales quoted Consul General Hanna as saying that a new United States flag, to replace the one torn down by the federals when Mr. Hanna was arrested last week, could not be unfurled without proper ceremonies.

## ST. LOUIS SUPPLY DEPOT

Army Short 3,000 Horses and 1,000 Mules.

St. Louis, April 28.—St. Louis has been designated by the war department as a general field supply depot and from this point will be replenished the stores of supplies at the depots at San Antonio, El Paso, Galveston and Vera Cruz.

By the terms of the order quarter-master's depots are established at Philadelphia, Chicago and New York and purchasing depots at Kansas City and New Orleans.

Major R. G. Paxton of the quarter-master's department said the army is short 3,000 horses and 1,000 mules of the number required for the full peace quota.

## MULCTED ON SCHOOL SITES

Chicago Said to Have Been Defrauded Out of Thousands of Dollars.

Chicago, April 28.—The board of education has been defrauded of thousands of dollars in the purchase of school sites, according to a report of a subcommittee of the board which has investigated charges that politicians obtained advance information of contemplated purchases.

Congressman A. J. Sabath was censured by the subcommittee for permitting certain law clients to make false statements to the board to boost prices of land.

ANOTHER DROP IN  
PRICE OF CRUDE OIL.

Independence, Kan., April 28.—Another cut of 5 cents in the price of crude oil in the Kansas-Oklahoma fields was announced. The price now is 80 cents a barrel, or 25 cents under the price of a month ago.

Over production is given as the cause of the reduction.

## FRENCHWOMEN IN BUSINESS.

If the Englishwoman fails in business that proves her inferior in one respect at least to her sisters across the channel. Frenchwomen succeed as shopkeepers, and many large businesses are entirely under feminine control. The difference between the two nationalities in this respect is indicated by the name above the shop doors. Who ever saw "Mr. and Mrs. —" above an English shop? In Paris, however, "M. and Mme. —" and even "M. — et femme" are quite common.—London Opinion.

## Similarity.

Why is a beehive like a spectator? Because it is a bee-holder.—London Telegraph.

WAR MEANS WORK  
FOR CONGRESS

Session Probably Will Be Long  
and Tedious One.

## CAPITAL ONLY LUKEWARM.

War With Mexico Does Not Create Outburst of Patriotic Feeling as Was the Case Sixteen Years Ago During the Spanish War—Applause Greets Tributes to the Flag.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, April 28.—[Special.]—"The prospects for the adjournment of this session of congress have disappeared in the dim and misty future," was the comment of Speaker Champ Clark a short time after the war resolution had been passed by congress. The new development in Mexico does not necessarily postpone the adjournment, although it is probable that considerable time will be necessary to consider ways and means for carrying on the war.

Back in Spanish war days all war measures were passed hastily, and some of them were not well considered. The provision for increases of the army and enlargement of staff corps seemed to be more for the purpose of giving army men promotions rather than for efficient service. It is doubtful whether such legislation as that will be allowed to pass without scrutiny for the Mexican war.

## Enthusiasm Wanting.

Considerable comment is heard about the lack of enthusiasm for the war in Mexico as compared with that which existed sixteen years ago, when war was made with Spain. For more than fifty years the United States had wanted Cuba, and, although the declaration was that we were not going to take Cuba for ourselves, nobody believed that it would be ultimately carried out.

Then, again, the destruction of the battleship Maine in Havana harbor had aroused great resentment among the American people. While it is true that people have become indignant at the atrocities committed by Mexicans against American citizens, it has not aroused the people to any such pitch as was manifested when war was forced with Spain. Consequently neither in congress nor among those who are watching the progress of events in the national capital was the same intense interest as during the events leading up to the war with Spain.

## When the Eagle Soars.

There is one thing that cannot be doubted, and that is that soaring the American eagle and waving the American flag is a good political asset. This was demonstrated during the debate of the Mexican resolution. The fellows who cautioned congress to move slowly, who counted the cost in lives and treasure, who pointed out the mistakes of the war with Spain, did not receive much consideration. On the other hand, the fellow who made the eagle scream and waved the Old Glory aloft in word pictures received tremendous applause from members of the house and from the galleries. In spite of all the talk that we hear about peace politicians know that war is popular.

## An Indian Fighter.

General Hugh L. Scott, selected for the assistant chief of staff, is an Indian fighter. There is no man in the army that better understands the Indian sign language than General Scott. Besides, he learned it at a time when the sign language was valuable to soldiers. General Scott is much admired by President Wilson, and it is expected that in time he will become chief of staff, which is the ambition of every army officer.

## A Bad Record (7).

There are many statesmen who take considerable pleasure in pointing out what a bad record the United States government has made in its dealings with foreign countries. We could take excerpts from different speeches which have been made during the past two or three years and find enough to condemn us as a country in our dealings with foreign nations. As a matter of fact we deal as well with foreign nations as any other country and sometimes better.

## Newlands Prefers Horses.

Senator Newlands of Nevada, although he lives out in the suburbs of Washington and a long distance from the capitol, prefers to ride behind horses rather than in an automobile. The Nevada man does not refuse to ride in automobiles, but for his own personal use he prefers horses and has several good teams.

There are quite a number of other statesmen who have not acquired the auto habit, but that is not because they do not prefer autos to horses. They still have the street car habit, which is one common to people whose means are too slender for other modes of transportation.

## O'Hair a Fighter.

All of the fight was not taken out of the Danville district when Congressman O'Hair succeeded Uncle Joe Cannon. The Democratic successor to the ex-speaker shows fight occasionally, and he does not hesitate to attack the powerful committee on appropriations. O'Hair has exhibited more or less independence since he has been in congress and does not seem to fear those who sit in the seats of the mighty.

## Similarity.

Why is a beehive like a spectator? Because it is a bee-holder.—London Telegraph.

## SECRETARY BRYAN.

Seeking to Avoid  
War With Mexico.



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RAISE FLAG WITH  
PARADE AND SALUTEAmericans Signify Formal Oc-  
cupation of Vera Cruz.

Vera Cruz, April 28.—With all ceremony, the firing of a salute and dress parade, the American flag was raised over the division headquarters of Rear Admiral Frank E. Fletcher. Over the customs house the flag has been flying since the landing of the American forces, but there had been no ceremony indicating the formal occupation of Vera Cruz.

The transports with Brigadier General Funston's command aboard were off the port, but there has been no indication that the military forces will be sent ashore at this time. If the army lands the bluejackets will go aboard their ships, but the marines will be left for land service.

Five Americans who arrived by train from Mexico City virtually were expelled by President Huerta. They had been arrested at Pachuca for no known cause. They are Dr. Hoskins, R. Chatterton, J. Punston, G. G. Smith and Mr. Maddox. Dr. Hoskins was subjected to rough treatment than the others, because in his pockets were found papers indicating that he had once served as surgeon in the United States army of volunteers. Huerta ordered them to leave the country.

## POLITICAL PRISONERS FREE

Seven Are Given Their Liberty at Vera Cruz.

Vera Cruz, April 28.—Seven political prisoners were released from the San Juan de Uloa fortress, where they had been confined by President Huerta without trial. Some had been in the prison for nearly a year.

Fernandino Iglesias Calderon, one of the most widely known politicians in Mexico, was one of those released. He was arrested in this city Feb. 16 last after the discovery of an alleged plot in the capital by the Huerta secret service agents, who asserted Senor Calderon was deeply involved.

The release of Senor Calderon resulted from a visit to the prison by a commission of American naval officers, but was made voluntarily by the warden of the fortress, Colonel Aurelio Vigil.

## BUTTER MEN ARE ENJOINED

Decree Entered in Case Against Elgin Board of Trade.

Chicago, April 28.—The government's decree in the anti-trust case against the Elgin board of trade was entered before Federal Judge Landis.

The case was dismissed against the members of the American Association of Creamery Butter Manufacturers, originally joined as defendants with the Elgin board of trade.

By the decree the Elgin board of trade is enjoined from engaging in the combination or conspiracy charged.

FEDERALS MAY CROSS  
TO AMERICAN SIDE.

Eagle Pass, Tex., April 28.—General Guajardo, commanding the federal garrison that evacuated Piedras Negras, was wounded and his forces defeated by the rebels at Allende.

The federals are expected to retreat to the American side of the Rio Grande.

## WILSON IS CONGRATULATED

International Peace Bureau of Brussels Approves His Course.

Washington, April 28.—President Wilson received from the International Peace bureau of Brussels a cablegram congratulating the United States on accepting mediation in the Mexican dispute.

CARRANZA AND  
VILLA MAY BREAKMINERS EMPLOY  
MACHINE GUNS

Attack Towns of Louisville, Lafayette and Marshall.

## SEVERAL CASUALTIES OCCUR

Two Men Are Reported Killed in Battle Near Walsenburg and Four Others in Fight Between Seventy-five Mine Guards and an Unknown Number of Strikers.

Denver, April 28.—It is reported here that the towns of Louisville, Lafayette and Marshall in Northern Colorado coal fields have been attacked by striking miners with machine guns, Louisville being on fire.

Denver, April 28.—Strikers attacked the McNally coal mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, three-quarters of a mile west of Walsenburg, and in the resulting battle two are reported dead and two are known to have been wounded.

The mine was set on fire and is still burning while fighting continues. Sheriff Jeff Farr of Huerfano county reported that four men had been killed in a battle between seventy-five mine guards and an unknown number of strikers at the Walsenburg mine, two miles south of Walsenburg.

Colonel Verdeckberg, in charge of the military camp at Ludlow in the absence of Adjutant General Chase, said that he expected to send a detachment of militia to Walsenburg.

The dispatches received by the Colorado Fuel and Iron company office said that the strikers, having captured the McNally mine, were firing at the searchlight on the hill between that property and the Walsenburg mine.

"Frightfully critical," was the manner in which Horace N. Hawkins, chief counsel for the mine workers, summarized the situation.

"The securing of federal troops," he said, "offers the only complete solution. The miners will never submit to the Colorado national guard, recruited as it is, in part at least, from the ranks of the mine guards. There is no possibility of securing enough militiamen to settle it."

## BOY TOUCHES LIVE WIRE

St. Paul Youth Killed on His Way to School.

St. Paul, April 28.—While on his way to St. Patrick's parochial school Thomas Ashe, fourteen years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ashe, was electrocuted by a live wire in a swamp.

He was killed when he grasped the broken guy wire of an electric light pole of the St. Paul Gas Light company, the guy wire touching the charged wires of the pole. His right hand was nearly burned off and his back was charred. When discovered an hour after the accident the body still was lying on the wire and the clothing was aflame.

## NEGROES SNUB WASHINGTON

Tuskogee Educator Is Welcomed by La Crosse Officials.

La Crosse, Wis., April 28.—Members of his own race refusing to participate in a reception or dinner in his honor Booker T. Washington, negro educator, broke bread with the city's leading citizens.

Joseph Davis, Elk club porter, was the only negro in attendance and he joined with Mayor Ori J. Sorenson, President F. A. Cotton of the state normal, Principal B. E. McCormick of the high school and several ministers in welcoming the founder of Tuskogee, Washington spoke on "The Problem of Educating the Black."

## ONE LOST IN TEXAS FLOOD

Rescuers Go to Relief of Persons Caught by Rising Waters.

Dallas, Tex., April 28.—First toll of life was taken by the spring flood gathering generally over Texas as the result of three days' heavy rain, when Thomas McIntyre, seventy-two years old, of Dallas was drowned.

Predictions by the government weather bureau for continued rain resulted in warnings being sent to persons in low lying sections, many of whom already have moved to high ground.

## Cousin of Lincoln Dead.

Carthage, Ill., April 28.—Thomas J. Lincoln, a cousin of Abraham Lincoln, died at his home in Fountain Green, Hancock county. He was ninety-two years old and came to Fountain Green with his parents from Kentucky at the same time that the parents of Abraham Lincoln left Kentucky.

Rebel Leaders Dis-  
agree on Policy.

## OPEN RUPTURE LIKELY

Villa Is Friendly Towards the  
United States and Car-  
ranza Hostile.

El Paso, Tex., April 28.—Francisco Villa and Venustiano Carranza are near the final breaking point because of their respective attitudes toward the United States, it is firmly believed here.

Villa maintains his attitude of friendliness for the United States, while Carranza declines to withdraw from his original position that the seizure of Mexican soil by American troops was a violation of the sovereignty of the Mexican people.

Villa started to Chihuahua from Juarez with the expressed purpose of settling the question finally. For the first time since he took the field he will meet with formidable opposition if he is sincere in wishing to remain friendly with the United States. Carranza, it is reported, is determined not to yield. Complete rupture of the relations of the leaders is looked for unless Villa gives in.

Carranza's position is strong, for he has taken the popular side of the argument and the one that appeals to most hot headed and Gringo hating Mexicans. Since Villa loomed large in the present revolution Carranza has been a good deal of a figurehead and this fact has been a sensitive point with him. But since he took his stand against the United States he has received hundreds of telegrams endorsing it and Carranza has been led to defy Villa further by declaring that he is for the Mexican people first.

## Carranza Has Supporters.

Backing him up is Maclovio Herrera, the strongest man in the revolution aside from Villa, who is doing so because he has always been envious of the commander-in-chief and has long coveted his position. With Maclovio Herrera is his brother Luis. How much more of a following Carranza can recruit from Villa's army is not known should a break come between the two leaders.

Villa has Benavides, Ortega, Urbina, and Chao with him, reports from Chihuahua say. He is determined, it is said, that the revolution shall not be made a catspaw for Huerta. It is possible that Villa will bring the whole affair to an issue and put Carranza to the test to see just how he stands.

Before he left for Chihuahua, Villa telegraphed General Pablo Gonzales, whose troops captured Monterey, to treat foreigners with consideration and to disregard exaggerated reports of strained relations between the rebels and the United States.

Villa reiterated that he is heartily in favor of the mediation plan.

"I feel sure of a speedy solution of the complications and then we can go ahead with our revolution," he declared.

Refugees brought word that affairs between Villa and Carranza have reached a stage where one or the other must accept a distinctly second position in the revolution.

## GOVERNOR LEADS RIOTERS

Refugees Tell of Recent Outbreak at Monterey.

Brownsville, Tex., April 28.—The anti-American demonstration at Monterey, in which the Stars and Stripes were dragged through the streets and imprecations hurled against all "Gringos" and following which Consul General Hanna and ten other Americans were arrested, was led by the Huerta governor of Nuevo Leon and the federal commander of the Monterey garrison, according to the stories of refugees who reached Brownsville.

The demonstration was made in a vain attempt to unite with the federal forces the rebel army about to assault the town. It followed immediately the receipt of news of the landing of American marines in Vera Cruz.

## NO REVOLUTION IN FRANCE

New Chamber of Deputies Shows Little Change.

Paris, April 28.—The complete returns in the general election for the chamber of deputies show that France wants neither revolution nor reaction. The new chamber will differ little in its composition from the old.

The political leaders consider that the country has given a clear indication that it favored the program of the Briandist federation.

The principal interest centered in the country's verdict on the armament question and the electorate accepted the additional military burden.



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A. C. Weiss, owner of the Duluth Herald, who has been critically ill at Rochester where he went for a surgical operation, is now at his home convalescing and the press of the state hopes for his speedy recovery.

The Little Falls Transcript says that the politics played by some of the Rines faction in the last legislature is blamed for the necessity of laying off the game wardens throughout the state on account of a lack of funds with which to pay them.

The Fairmont Sentinel says that Minnesota has sacrificed its only democratic congressman on the altar of hatred and ambition. The Sentinel like many other democratic papers is not looking for the elevation of Congressman Hammond to the governorship.

Governor Eberhart is expected to open his campaign for renomination early in May and will visit various sections of the state in a speech making tour. Wm. E. Lee, his opponent for the republican nomination, has been holding meetings in various parts of the state pressing his claims for the honor.

When Huerta shakes the dust of Mexican soil from his feet then will there be some reason to believe that he will accept the mediation offer. Absolute and unconditional surrender with an elimination clause attached and a "here's your hat, what's your hat?" is the only conditions he can expect. With Huerta in Mexico trouble will not cease.

A Mexican war—of words, is being waged at St. Cloud, the Journal-Press intimating that the Times editor should be an inmate of a well known Fergus Falls institution, while the Times comes back at the J.-P. with the statement that its editor would better occupy rooms in a military prison. And all this because the Journal-Press expressed an opinion regarding the handling of the Mexican matter and asked "Why there should be war," something many a man has wondered. But Mac won't stand any monkey-doodle-business with the administration at Washington.

Northern Minnesota will be interested in the decision of the supreme court at Washington in the "Pussy-foot" Johnson liquor case which was to have been argued yesterday before the highest judicial tribunal in the land. The case was that which arose

on account of the acts of Johnson and his associates in confiscating and destroying liquor in this section some four years ago on the ground that its sale in a large portion of Minnesota was prohibited owing to certain Indian treaties. Judge Willard granted an injunction on the application of certain Bemidji parties and it is an appeal from this decision that was to have come up. If the decision is reversed it will mean the discontinuance of saloons in a large portion of Minnesota lying north of the Minnesota river.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

If you want lots, see Nettleton. dw271tf  
Ed. McCabe went to St. Cloud this afternoon.

A. E. Helmer, of Duluth, was in the city Monday.

Garden plowing done. Telephone 331-R. 272tfp

G. A. Schrader, of Pequot, was in the city today.

John H. Hill, of Ironton, was in Brainerd yesterday.

Ice cream delivered to any part of city. Turner Bros. 126tf

A. R. Hamilton, of Duluth, was a Brainerd visitor today.

Franklin W. Merritt, of Minneapolis, was on the range this week.

Phone 359L for DRY millwood.—Adv. 178tf

Miss A. Kaun, of Sauk Center, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Otto Cordes.

Mrs. O. Burton and children, of Carlton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irwin.

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Nettleton Sells Homes—Terms to Suit Adv. 263dwtf

Rev. A. H. Utmeyer, who visited the Evangelical church in Northeast Brainerd, has returned to Minneapolis.

Mrs. Sherman Buckmaster, of Mizpah who attended the funeral of Mrs. A. O. Bowers, returned last night to her home.

A free demonstration of human hair goods all week at "Michael's"

The Ladies Aid society of the Peoples Congregational church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Cameron, 1101 Sixth Ave., N. E.

Miss Lydia Knebel, who has been nursing in Minneapolis, returned today to her home in Pequot attended by her brother, Ben Knebel.

Let us estimate your sewer, plumbing, heating, etc. D. M. Clark & Co.—Adv. 268tf

The next regular meeting of the Young People's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will be held Wednesday evening, May 6, the first Wednesday in May.

The Women's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet on Wednesday at 2:30 P. M. in the Guild room. Mrs. C. P. Cocks will entertain. All are cordially invited.

For SPRING WATER Phone 269R.—Adv. 244tf

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. J. P. Anderson, 523 N. 5th street, on Wednesday afternoon, April 29th. Visitors will be cordially welcomed.

At 7 o'clock this morning a 12 pound baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson. This is the first baby in the family circle and there is much happiness in the home.

Awnings! Awnings! D. M. Clark & Co.—Adv. 268tf

Best mixed grass seed, lot of clover. D. M. Clark & Co.—Adv. 268tf

Miss Mamie Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Peterson, left today for Minneapolis where she will join Miss Ruud and they will leave for New York city and thence for a four months' tour of Europe.

Rev. R. J. Watts and daughter, of Waverly and Clinton, Ill., who attended the funeral of Mrs. A. O. Bowers, have gone to International Falls to spend a few days with Mr. Bowers prior to returning to their home.

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They are picking May flowers in Yellowstone Park, while here in Brainerd yesterday people were changing the thin ones back to the heavy ones, the recent spring weather causing some to make a premature change from flannel to network.

The highest degree of perfection—McLaughlin's Manor House Coffee.—248tf

Heater Peterson, aged 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson, residing on a farm 11 miles west of Sylvan, died yesterday of scarlet fever. The funeral was held today. On April 19th Mr. and Mrs. Peterson lost a little boy by scarlet fever.

Joseph R. Pedersen, janitor of the Harrison school, bought of P. B. Nettleton yesterday lots 1, 2, 3, block 4, Parkers addition, situated at the east end of Norwood street. He is having them plowed up for a garden today. The consideration was \$500.

Levi Bailey, of Barrows, was in the city today. He says Barrows is real metropolitan like, for the new agent of the Northern Pacific railway, A. D. Moores, has arrived. Formerly Barrows had a depot, but no



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**MERCHANT OF VENICE**  
Tomorrow and Thursday Nights at The GRAND  
Read Our Ad.  
Prayer meetings will be held tomorrow at 9:30 in the following homes: Fred Slipp, 510 N. 4th St.; J. S. Vanderwerker, 713 N. 9th St.; Carl Bentley, 623 S. 9th St.; A. E. Gustafson, 704 S. 10th St.; Ed. Thabes, W. Brainerd; A. E. Thayer, 726 4th Ave. N. E.; S. F. Goldsmith, 1508 E. Oak St.

The Yeoman lodge, No. 602, has recently concluded a successful campaign for increasing its membership. Two gold watches were given by the deputy, Mrs. Alla Gaffney, one to the lady and one to the gentleman securing the most members. Mrs. Ed Luck secured the lady's prize and Charles Bourassa the gentleman's prize.

An inter-class debate between the Seniors and Juniors will be held this evening at eight o'clock in the high school assembly room. The question is: Resolved, that the proposed literacy test for immigrants now before congress would be for the best interests of the country. This is an important question of the present day. No admission will be charged.

A. V. Brown, superintendent of the Lake Superior division of the Northern Pacific railway, has been promoted to the position of general superintendent at Livingston, Mont. W. H. Strachn, of Jamestown, N. D., superintendent there, has been transferred to Duluth to accept the position made vacant by Mr. Brown's promotion. Mr. Strachn was formerly assistant superintendent of Duluth.

**Notice to Eagles**  
All members are requested to attend our regular meeting on Tuesday evening, April 28th, as there will be initiation, refreshments, cigars, etc. Nuf said. Please be on hand early so we can start our meeting at 8:00 sharp.

HENRY KRAUSE, Sec'y. F. O. E.

**NOTICE**  
All persons having deceased bodies placed in vault, are hereby requested to call on Robert Jaeger, sexton of Evergreen cemetery and arrange for the burial of the same from and after this date.  
Dated, April 27th, 1914.  
By order of the association,  
MILTON McFADDEN, Secretary.

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Plain Truth that's Worth Money

Using Foley's Honey and Tar for a cough or cold may save you both sickness and money. F. P. Monahan, Wis., says: "I am exposed to all kinds of weather and I find Foley's Honey and Tar Compound always fixes me up in good shape when I catch cold or have a bad cough. I recommend it gladly." Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn.—Adv. mwf

**Special "Health Warning" for March**  
March is a trying month for the very young and for elderly people. Creup, bronchial colds, lagrippe and pneumonia are to be feared and avoided. Foley's Honey and Tar is a great family medicine that will quickly stop a cough, check the progress of a cold, and relieve inflamed and congested air passages. It is safe, pure, and always reliable. H. P. Dunn.—

**NOTICE.**  
Shoes left for repairs will be sold after 60 days to cover cost of repairing.  
274tf A. D. PETERSON.

DISPATCH ADS PAY—TRY ONE

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Will Continue Seven Full Days—Redpath-Vawter Co. Describes its Equipment

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S. W. QUINN, Chief of Police.

274tf  
Take Foley's Honey and Tar Company for an inflamed and congested condition of the air passages and bronchial tubes. A cold develops quickly if not checked and bronchitis, la grippe and pneumonia are dangerous possibilities. Harsh racking coughs weaken the system, but Foley's Honey and Tar is safe, pure and certain in results. Contains no opiates. H. P. Dunn.—Adv. mwf

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Adv.

**Lands for Sale**  
Improved Farms, Agricultural, Iron and Timber Lands For Sale. Wholesale tracts a Specialty.  
Money to loan on Cass, Crow Wing and Wadena County land.  
**G. D. CLEVINGER LAND CO.**  
Columbia Theater Building  
Room 6, Telephone 573

**THE DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY**  
**Columbia Theatre**  
THE BEST PICTURES AND MUSIC  
EDWIN HARRIS BERGH, MGR.  
**Matinee Every Day at 2:30**  
Change Days Mon., Wed., Fri. and Sun.

Every man, woman and child in Brainerd with an ounce of patriotism should not fail to see "The Battle of Gettysburg," a photo play of the greatest battle in history. The Minnesota divisions were very prominent throughout the entire battle

**Tonight and Tonight Only**  
A great 2 reel feature

**"Thieves"**

A story with as strong a moral as we ever exhibited upon a screen. The famous Domino company with a strong cast of characters

**"Sorrow Fades"**

Another beautiful and heart gripping story of the west

**San Francisco**

And surrounding country. An educational feature

**"The Race"**

A real Keystone that keeps you in continuous laughter

**Wednesday**

Remember the Great Musical Night

**Special Pictures**

**Special Soloists**

**Special Orchestra**

**Special Program**

We have a treat in store for everybody. Bring the Children

**Friday Only**

With A Great Afternoon Matinee

The feature of features

**"The Battle of Gettysburg"**

In 5 Reels

Recording in every detail the events of the most terrible battle in the history of the entire world. As a war spectacle this masterpiece holds first honors. A massive military production historically correct. Spectacular and awe-inspiring, worth going miles to see



## BIDS TO BUILD THE CITY HALL

Council May Advise for Bids on May 11 for Construction of Brainerd's City Hall

## COUNCIL HAS SPECIAL MEETING

Specifications are Expected Soon—  
Council Building Committee  
Going Over Plans

At the special meeting of the city council last night, Architect C. Howard Parsons, of Minneapolis, presented his plans for the new city hall in Brainerd and the council, as a whole, considered them.

It is expected that on May 11 will be advertised the desire of the city for bids to construct the new public building. The specifications are expected soon.

The plans have been referred to the building committee, Aldermen Smith, Hess and Stallman. The next regular meeting of the council is May 4.

In excess of 100 cars of gravel at \$7.50 a car will be loaded by the city to take care of all contemplated street work this season including sidewalks and furnishing of gravel for the city hall cement work, and the street committee and the city engineer were given power to act to arrange for the price of gravel to be paid Richard Ahrens.

The building committee is to look over the city hall plans and report in two weeks, when the architect will be here. In the meantime the plans are on exhibition at the city clerk's office and the public is invited to examine them and to comment on the same. The specifications are expected today or tomorrow.

The matter of acquiring two additional lots for the city hall site so as to make it a complete quarter block is now assured. The lieutenant-colonel of the Salvation Army has consented to trade the present army lot for the A. L. Hoffman lot on Front street. The price for the two additional lots will be about \$1,200.

## DRYS DROP THE MOTLEY CONTEST

Special to The Dispatch:

Little Falls, Minn., April 28—Motel voted wet at the last election and the matter was contested by the drys who carried it to the district court and asked to enjoin the wets. Attorney A. D. Polk, of Brainerd, representing the wets, appeared ready for trial. The drys underwent a change of heart and asked that their own application for an injunction be dismissed and the order was so entered, and Motley remains wet.

## FEDERALS FLEEING ACROSS BORDER

Washington, D. C., April 28, 3:20 P. M.—Two Federal generals and their commands, who were driven back by the Constitutionalists from the southern part of the state of Nuevo Leon, are attempting to cross the United States border about thirty miles above Laredo, Texas, according to a state department report today.

### Please Notice

Mrs. C. D. McKay will not observe her Wednesdays "At Home" during the Lowry-Moody meetings.—Adv.

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## SAID HUERTA WILL ACCEPT MEDIATION

Washington, D. C., April 28, 11:40 A. M.—Spanish Ambassador Riano, in charge of Mexican affairs in the United States, today informed Secretary of State Bryan that General Huerta had unconditionally accepted the principle of mediation as involved in the proposal of the governments of Brazil, Argentina and Chile.

## 7 MINE GUARDS REPORTED KILLED

Walsenburg, Col., April 28, 11:40 A. M.—Sheriff Joe Farr reported early this morning that firing continued at the Walsen mine near here and that seven mine guards had been killed.

## MEDIATION TO SUIT 4 PARTIES

Washington, April 28, 3:20 P. M.—Mediation waits now upon Carranza and Villa, while the United States and Huerta mark time. Even the preliminaries can go no further until the "principle" mediation, the term employed today by Secretary Bryan, is accepted by the third party to the proceedings. That third party at present is constituted of Villa and Carranza. If reports of a split between the two Constitutional leaders are true, there may be four parties to mediation.

## FEDERAL TROOPS GO TO COLORADO

Washington, D. C., April 28, 3:20 P. M.—President Wilson today decided to order Federal troops to Colorado to restore order in the coal strike district where virtual civil war exists.

## BRAINERD SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

International Falls People Start an Industry in Brainerd and Incorporate the Same

CAPITAL STOCK IS \$25,000.00

Site to be on South Tenth Street near St. Paul Tracks of the Northern Pacific Railway

The Brainerd Sash and Door company has been incorporated by International Falls people with a capital stock of \$25,000. Brainerd to be the principal place of business.

A site for a factory has been secured on South Tenth street near the St. Paul tracks of the Northern Pacific railway. The papers were drawn up in Brainerd and were signed by Attorney W. H. Crowell, Miss Lillian E. Smith and Attorney C. A. Russell.

Mr. Russell was not at liberty to announce the names of the actual incorporators at this time. One of them has already bought a house and lot in Brainerd and will soon remove his family here. The annual meeting of the stockholders will be held on May 9.

## GREATEST CHURCH REVIVAL KNOWN

Judge G. W. Holland, in His Will, Gave \$21,000 to the Churches of His Home City

### WILL HOLD "HOLLAND SUNDAY"

Rumored that the Churches, His Beneficiaries, Will Have a Sunday for Memorial Services

Judge G. W. Holland had a very practical method of creating a revival in churches such as never known before, making it concrete by donating \$21,000 to the churches of Brainerd.

It is rumored that the beneficiaries of his bequests will select some particular Sunday as a "Holland Memorial Sunday" and thus, in a public manner, show their appreciation of the man who has done so much for Brainerd.

In a hearing before the probate court, Messrs. Mantor and Ebner, appearing for the executors and the estate, there was determined the findings of fact relative to this section of the will referring to bequests: "To each church organization or society having a church building in the city of Brainerd and holding Christian services therein weekly, on Sundays, or otherwise, \$1,000. This includes the Salvation Army."

The court found these 21 church organizations or church societies entitled to a bequest of \$1,000 each: The Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church, First Baptist Church, First Methodist Episcopal Church, The First Congregational Church, First Presbyterian Church, German Evangelical Bethlehem Church, Zion's Church of the Evangelical Association, St. Francis Catholic Church, The Finnish Evangelical Lutheran Congregation, Brainerd Church of Seventh Day Adventist, The First Swedish Baptist Church, St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, German Lutheran Zion's Church, The Salvation Army, The Norwegian-Danish Evangelical Lutheran Church, Swedish Mission Church, Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church, The Peoples Church of Brainerd, Minnesota.

The Finnish Evangelical Lutheran National Congregation, The Apostle Lutheran Church, and The Swedish Methodist Episcopal Church.

Each is, and on April 23, 1913, was a church organization or church society having a church building in the city of Brainerd, and holding Christian services therein weekly, on Sundays or otherwise, within and according to the language and meaning of the quoted bequest and the intention of the testator, as in said will expressed.

### PIANO SALE

During the month of May I will hold a clearance sale of my entire stock of pianos. Several are factory sample instruments and as an extra inducement to make them move promptly will give with each piano one high grade sewing machine or one \$35.00 talking machine absolutely free. All pianos marked in plain figures and at regular cash prices. Monthly payments if desired.

WM. GRAHAM MUSIC STORE  
210 S. 6th St. Brainerd, Minn.  
27616



Demonstration of

## Human Hair Goods

We have with us this week a demonstrator with a complete assortment of HUMAN hair switches. She will be pleased to give you her attention regarding styles and treatment of the hair.

36 inch switches.....	\$7.95
28 inch switches.....	\$4.95
26 inch switches.....	\$3.95
24 inch switches.....	\$2.95
22 inch switches.....	\$1.95
20 inch switches.....	.95c

Also a complete line of greys.

"MICHAEL'S"

## RUTH AND ORPAH LOWRY'S SUBJECT

They Represent Two Classes—Those Who Are Saved and Those Who Are Lost

### THE DEVIL CONTRACTS ...??

The Religion that Says You Can be a Christian Without Church Membership is False

In spite of the rain and wind a fair sized crowd attended the tabernacle yesterday. The rain was a test of enthusiasm and proved itself last night. The rain drops falling on the tar papered roof of the big tabernacle made it sound as a noise within a rain barrel. No one went to sleep, however, under its soporific influence.

The evangelist did not preach on his announced theme. He was to have spoken on "Hard Nuts for Infidels and Skeptics." Last evening was a bad evening for any such to get out. They might get their feet wet and take a serious cold and die and go to that place that don't exist.

Mr. Lowry's subjects are like a railroad time table—subject to change without notice. "Ruth and Orpah" were the characters spoken of.

It contained an indictment of the people who say they can be Christians without being church members. His affirmation is that one can no more be a Christian without being a church member than a frog can be a frog without first being a polliwog.

The country people are still coming. Through the rain and storm they came yesterday and through the rain and storm they returned after the service. Rev. C. C. Adams, of Crosby, was present and offered prayer. Rev. J. C. Ferris, state superintendent of the American Sunday school union, was also on the platform.

These visiting clergymen were impressed with the large number present for such a bad night. Their comments on the evangelist were particularly favorable. They admired his clear, straightforward earnestness, and his clear presentation of the gospel story. His use of character to illustrate spiritual condition was spoken of as admirable.

Wednesday the noon day meeting at the Seventh street church will be in charge of Mrs. Moody and Miss Lillian Jones. All business girls of the city are invited.

Thursday evening the subject will be "Popular Amusements." It is anticipated that the largest crowd of the campaign will be present to hear this sermon. In other places it has packed the largest Auditorium.

Tonight the subject will be (subject to change) "Hard Nuts for Infidels to Crack."

There will be no further collections till Thursday evening. There is still a deficit of \$150. People interested are asked to give their names and subscription to any of the clergy or to the treasurer, G. Halverson. The collections each evening amount to about \$40.

The sermon text was Ruth 1:16, 17: He said: The book of Ruth is one of the favorite ones of the old testament. The reason is its story form and we all like a story. Moreover, it is true to human nature in all times.

Ruth and Orpah represent two classes—and there are only two classes—those who are saved and those who are lost, those who accept and those who reject. Ruth goes on. Orpah turns back.

Ruth was willing to forsake all—kindred and people, home and country. She fully surrendered herself. Her reward was to come into the lineage of Jesus Christ. The sinner never gives up anything but he receives more than ever he loses. If God asks you to give up anything that was good for you He would be a tyrant. He will not see how small and contemptible He can make you. Rather He will exalt you to happiness and contentment. The things you must give up are the things of sin.

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# W.B.

## NUFORM Corsets

provide the slender, uncorseted effect demanded by the latest styles—low bust, extreme length, straight waistline, confined hips.

W. B. Nuform Corsets grace every age and type, and cater to every purse.

Slender as well as average figures will find W. B. Nuform an ideal corset. Complete freedom of movement, correct, deep breathing, and graceful, easy carriage.

Superior quality materials and dainty trimmings. Boning guaranteed not to rust. One dollar up.—

W. B. Nuform No. 401.

Medium bust and underarm. No bones over hip, creating uncorseted effect, while retaining shape and straight lines. Well-woven coutil, lace and ribbon trimmed. Adjustable bust string. Hook under front steel. Sizes 18 to 30. Price \$1.00

W. B. Nuform No. 405.

A hip confiner. Few bones and elastic bands, insuring absolute pliability. Gives supple form lines. Long and snug fitting over hips and back. Coutil, embroidered edging. Hose supporters. Sizes 18 to 26. Price \$1.50

Special No. 61.

A W. B. Leader; a value only found in the W. B. line. For average figures—low bust; hips and back of unusual length. Good wearing coutil; attractive embroidery edging. Bones and steels stitched to prevent pushing through; reinforcing hook below front clasp. Three pair supporters. Sizes 18 to 30. Price \$1.50

W. B. Nuform No. 404.

A dependable, attractive corset for the more developed figures. Medium bust; tapered front steel, usually found only in reducing corsets of higher price. Sizes 18 to 36. Price \$1.50

"MICHAEL'S"

## WILL REBUILD THEIR CHURCH

Evangelical Church of Northeast Brainerd, to Have \$3,000 Improvements made this Year

REV. A. ZABEL IS THE PASTOR

Addition to be Built on South Side of Church and Pulpit Recess to be Made

At a business meeting held the congregation of the Evangelical church, of Northeast Brainerd, has decided to make \$3,000 worth of improvements to their church. The structure is to be remodeled and enlarged.

The Sunday school now is three times as large as when Rev. Zabel first took charge. He has been pastor three years and his energy and enthusiasm have done much to increase the congregation and to make his church a power for good in Northeast Brainerd and the city at large. Rev. Zabel goes to conference next week at St. Paul.

Church plans are to provide for a one-story addition measuring 16x34 feet and situated on the south side. A pulpit recess, 6x14 feet, is to be on the north side. Circular pews will increase the seating capacity from 125 to 225. The church at present is 24x40 feet in size. A full basement and furnace are also among the improvements contemplated.

### Cards of Thanks

Mrs. Eva Woodley who died at Laporte, Minn., while on a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Stuart and her mother, Mrs. G. W. Comstock, was attended by Dr. T. L. Wilcox of Walker, and we wish to thank him for his kindness during her illness and for his kind letter received after her death.

M. Woodley and Family.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks to the many friends who assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother and for the beautiful floral offering.

M. Woodley and Family.

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We hereby express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who, in our sad bereavement, so kindly assisted us, and for their beautiful floral expressions of sympathy.

ALVIN O. BOWERS,  
R. J. WATTS, Father,  
MRS. CLARA FARMER, Sister.  
278-11-Pd.

Disordered kidneys cause much misery

With pain and misery by day, sleep-disturbing bladder weakness at night, tired, nervous run-down men and women everywhere are glad to know that Foley Kidney Pills restore health and strength, and the regular action of kidneys and bladder. H. P. Dunn.—

## Be Sure and Take the Family to THE GRAND

Tonight

Everyone will enjoy tonight's photo story

## Captain Jenny, S. A.

This three part film tells of the heroism of a Salvation Army Captain—and is a love story of unusual beauty. A most interesting portion of the film shows a difficult rescue by Jim, a life saver. Every girl and boy should see this film because of its inspiring nature—an evening worth while.

## Also 2 Good Comedies

Remember  
Tomorrow  
and Thursday

April 29th & 30th

Children 5c

We want you to see  
"The Merchant  
of Venice"

Sumptuous Settings  
Wonderful Costumes  
Superb Photography

Adults 10c

## RANSFORD BILLIARD PARLOR

We Make a Specialty of  
Fishing Tackle and Sporting Goods  
The most complete line in the city.

Flash lights and Batteries. Get our prices on these  
Guns to rent all kinds. Full line of Reache's baseball goods.  
Candy, Cigars and Tobacco.

COFFRAIN & HESS, Prop.

# NEW EMPRESS THEATRE

Theatre Beautiful—The Home of Feature Photo Plays

Show Hours: 1st, 7:15; 2nd, 8:30; 3rd, 9:40 P. M. Our Change Dates—Sun., Tues., Thurs. and Sat.

## Tuesday and Wednesday A Reel Feature Show

Feature A

### "THE STORY OF DIANNA"

A photo play that's quite new in conception and blends reality with mythological legends. All the characters are first shown as Gods or Goddesses and later in modern garb. Wolves and lions appear in the story and as a whole this makes a unique production.

Feature B

### Miss Irene Stanfeldt IN CHARACTER SONG

Feature C

### "A ROMANCE OF THE EVERGLADES"

An entertaining two reel number. The scenes are laid in the swampy region of the moss hung trees known as the Florida Everglades. The story itself is full of interest and grows exciting when Carew is in danger from the infuriated mob and the shack is set on fire.

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Feature D

### Irene and Tommy IN A GOOD DOUBLE NUMBER

Feature E

### "SKELLY BIRTHDAY"

This is really a funny offering with Charles Murray doing his funny stunts with the Biograph Comedy

Feature F

### "BILL TELL THE PAWN BROKER"

ANOTHER FAMOUS COMEDY

FEATURE G.

### Brainerd's Famous 5-Piece Blue Ribbon Orchestra

Playing Overtures and Popular Pieces of the Day

## "The Adventures of Kathlyn"

Next Thursday, Friday, and Saturday

Adults 10 cents

Children 5 cents



RUTH AND ORPAH  
LOWRY'S SUBJECT

(Continued from page three)

and the things that tend to sin as the setting sun tends to darkness.

Suppose you give up your sins, your deviltry, your whiskey, booze and beer, your cards, dance, and Sabbath desecration what are they compared to what you will receive.

Will not a girl give up a brass ring, though it be never so polished, for a gold one? Will she not give up the glass imitation for a real diamond? Will not the sinner give up his tawdry things for the things that are genuine?

Ruth was willing to assume the obligations of the new life. Some hesitate here. They are afraid to trust their lives with God or fear that He will require them to do something they do not want to do. The fear haunts you that God will make your life miserable, narrow and mean, contracted within the smallest compass. "T'would be hard for God to contract some of your poor, miserable souls into a narrower compass than the devil has confined you to at the present time. The devil contracts God expands.

Torrey wanted to be a lawyer God wanted him to be a preacher. He might have been a great lawyer. There is no comparison between a great lawyer and a great preacher. As a great preacher he has 200,000 souls to his credit for under his ministry that many confessed Christ. Give God the right-of-way. Give Him a chance and He will do more for you than you can ask or think.

Religion that asks how much can I neglect and yet go to heaven is folly. The religion that says I can be a Christian without being a church member is false. I never yet found a man outside the church who was a true Christian. You can't refuse to join God's people and count on getting to heaven.

The only institution that represents Christ in the world is the church. No lodge that ever was organized is feared by the devil in the same degree. The lodge is not organized either to fight for God or against the devil. The only thing above ground the devil fears is the church. Yet some of you refuse to join in and expect God to save you.

The first evidence of conversion is the desire to join the church. "Thy

God is my God" said Ruth. So must the new convert say to God's people. You cannot bring any idol into the church and expect any blessing whether that idol be amusements, society, lodges or politics. An idol is something that stands higher than God. Either crown Jesus Lord of all or crown Him not at all.

Ruth was through with her false gods when she pledged herself to Naomi. She entered into a life long covenant with God.

Ruth and Orpah were two girls standing at the parting of the way. Both had the same teacher, the same instruction—one is saved, the other is lost. Two are sitting on the same bench tonight, side by side, one is saved the other is lost, one will be taken the other left.

Both were kindly girls. They were apparently alike. They weep in genuine sorrow as they affectionately embrace before they part. Their parting is forever. They part both for this world and the world to come. One goes back to heathenism and idolatry one goes on to Christ and God.

The land of Moab to which Orpah returned seemed too pleasant a land to give up. It was like the clear water of a beautiful lake whose surface sparkles in the morning calm but beneath is corruption and dead men's bones. She returns to breathe again the poison of the land of the Lotus.

She came to the place where every man comes—the place to accept or reject—to go forward or turn back. She turned back. Men you stand tonight where Orpah stood. Either choose Christ or the idols of Moab.

There is a time we know not when a place we know not where That marks the destiny of man To glory or despair.

Poley Cathartic Tablets are entirely effective thoroughly cleansing and always pleasant in action. They contain blue flag, a remedy for constipation and sluggish liver, and a tonic to the bowels, which are improved by their use. Try them. They do not fail to give relief and satisfaction. H. P. Dunn.—Adv't. mw

Two Kinds of Bonds.  
Briggs—I'm going to my broker. I want to get rid of some bonds. Where are you off to?  
Griggs—To my divorce lawyer. I want to get rid of some bonds too.—Boston Transcript.

## YOU CANNOT GET AWAY

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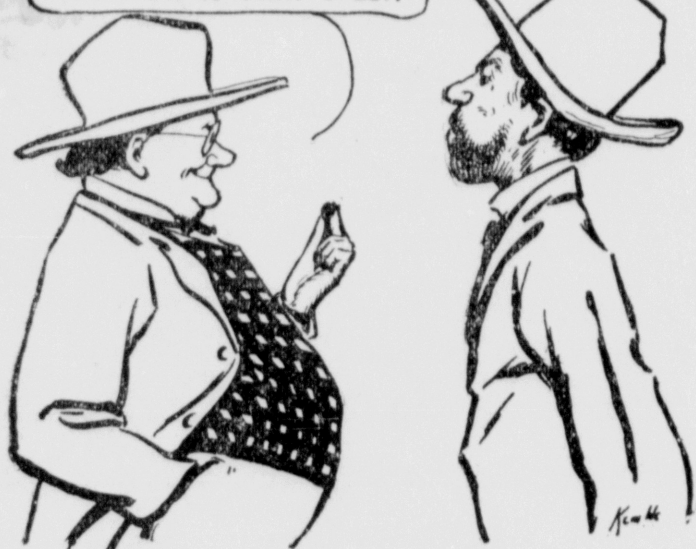
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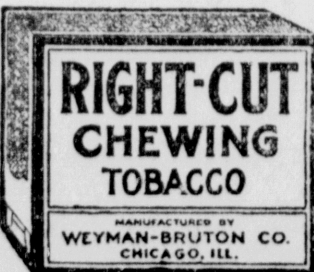
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"The Merchant of Venice," Shakespeare's immortal drama is at the Grand tomorrow and Thursday nights. The management is pleased to be able to place his attractive photo play before the people. This great play needs no introduction, but too much cannot be said of the wonderful presentation. Miss Lois Weber as "Portia" and Phillips Smalley make an excellent interpretation of "Shylock." The support (even in other roles is up to the standard of the best plays. The Grand has gone to extra expense to obtain this 4-reel feature film and they make a special request to all high school students and patrons who enjoy high class literature and drama to make an effort to enjoy this rare treat. Always the Grand standard prices—5 and 10c.

## At the Columbia

"Thieves" the two reel photo play was a real treat to the few who braved the inclement weather. The scenes of Frisco were very interesting in view of the exposition which is soon to be held there. The storm on the Pacific was the best we have seen. The comedy was good. The management wishes to call the attention of all the Brainerd public to their feature or next Friday, "The Battle of Gettysburg," positively the most stupendous war spectacle in existence. Over 15,000 men were used and over 1,000 horses. \$25,000 was used for explosives alone. No one has an idea of the time and money it required to obtain this feature.

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## A General Clean-up Request

To the Citizens of Brainerd:

The city council has taken action designating the week commencing Monday, April 27 and closing on Saturday, May 2nd, as a general clean-up week.

In order to give Brainerd a general clean-up, it is desired that all citizens co-operate by removing all rubbish, dead weeds, grass and leaves, and all inflammable material from alleys, streets and private property in the city.

It is also the desire of the city officials that all citizens use every precaution in safeguarding bon fires and to extinguish every bon fire during the night.

If all citizens will endeavor to burn up all inflammable rubbish during this week, it will result in a general clean-up and will make the balance of the spring evenings more enjoyable by the general absence of smoke from the bon fires.

Very truly yours,  
R. A. HENNING,  
Mayor.

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basement Ransford building, 6th street, is open until 7:30 every evening giving working people and townspeople an opportunity to bring shoes and get them after work hours. All work appreciated and guaranteed to be put up in first class manner.

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Cottage 16 by 24 feet with porch 10 by 24 feet, ice house filled with ice, good well with pump, large lot, one good boat. Cottage insured for three years. At Hubert station. Cottage on Clarke lake. Call at office and see picture of place also will take you out to see it in an automobile.

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## SUMMER SCHOOL PLAN.

Federal Commissioner of Education Amplifies His Previous Statements. Amplifying previous statements regarding summer schools, Dr. P. P. Claxton, federal commissioner of education, declares that "the schools should provide some kind of instruction for the children through what is now, in most cities, a long, wasteful vacation."

He predicts that the school of the future will give less time to intensive school study of the ordinary type—probably about three hours—and four or five hours to productive work supervised by the school, done in shops, outdoor gardens or in the home.

"With this kind of an organization," said he, "it would be very easy for children to do ordinary school work three hours a day, six days in the week, through eleven calendar months in the year and at the same time contribute largely to their own support by well directed productive educational work either at home or in the school."

## Application for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors in Crow Wing County, Minnesota

Notice is hereby given that J. C. Holz has petitioned the Board of County Commissioners of Crow Wing county, Minnesota, for license to sell intoxicating liquors on the first floor of a two story frame building located in the northwest corner of the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 13, township 45, range 30 in the town of Oak Lawn.

This application and any remonstrance or objections to the granting of the same will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners, at their next regular session, on Tuesday, May 5th, 1914, at the court house in the City of Brainerd at 2 o'clock p. m.

Said applicant has heretofore been licensed to sell intoxicating liquors at No. 220 S. Broadway in the City of Brainerd from Jan. 1912 to date.

J. F. SMART,  
County Auditor Crow Wing county, Minn.  
Dated Brainerd, Minn. April 20, 1914.

## Application for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors in Crow Wing County, Minnesota

Notice is hereby given that W. H. Spaulding has petitioned the Board of County Commissioners of Crow Wing county, Minnesota, for license to sell intoxicating liquors on the first floor of the Two story frame hotel building located on lots 23 and 24 of block 2 in Platted Woodrow in the town of Oak Lawn, County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota.

This application and any remonstrance or objections to the granting of the same will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners, at their next regular session, on Tuesday, May 5th, 1914, at the court house in the City of Brainerd at 2 o'clock p. m.

Said applicant has heretofore been licensed.

J. F. SMART,  
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EDWARD R. SYVERSON,  
Candidate for Representative from Crow Wing County

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I advocate and if elected will support: Legislative provision for development of state lands by the state.

Any legislation that will help compel proper business-like economy and increase the efficiency of administration of the state's business affairs.

I believe firmly in the rule of the people and in performing the duties of the office, which, I feel confident I can perform efficiently and satisfactorily, if elected.

Respectfully,  
ERICK KRONBERG.

## CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff of Crow Wing county and respectfully solicit the support of all voters at the primary election to be held June 16, 1914, and if nominated and elected I pledge my best efforts in serving the people of the county.

I have been a resident and taxpayer of this county for 24 years, previous to which I served five years in the U. S. regular army, as sergeant of Co. B, 15th infantry, where I received a military training that will, I believe, be a valuable aid in performing the duties of the office, which, I feel confident I can perform efficiently and satisfactorily, if elected.

Respectfully,  
ERICK KRONBERG.

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The highest purpose of intellectual cultivation is to give a man a perfect knowledge and mastery of his own inner self, to render our consciousness its own light and its own mirror; hence there is the less reason to be surprised at our inability to enter fully into the feelings and characters of others. No one who has not a complete knowledge of himself will ever have a true understanding of another.—Novalis.

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FOR RENT—Furnished room or two unfurnished rooms in a modern house. Could be used for light housekeeping. Address W. Dispatch. 278-14 pd.

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WANTED—We have a very fine business opening at Brainerd for a man who can invest \$300. This carries a salary of \$120 per month, guaranteed. If interested call and see Mr. Brown, 428, Ryan Hotel, St. Paul. 276

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